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TITLE: METHOD OF OPERATION OF A )  
PRINTING UNIT AND PRINTING )  
UNIT FOR OFFSET MACHINE )

**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE TO  
AMENDED CLAIMS 11 AND 12**

11. A method of [operation] operating [of] [a doctor blade chamber device in] a printing unit in an offset machine [wherein the printing unit] wherein the printing unit has a doctor blade chamber comprising [a doctor chamber device is used for lacquer application and as dampening unit for water application] the step of:  
shifting said doctor blade chamber device between a first position  
transferring ink or damp to a roller being connected with an impression cylinder of  
the printing unit to a second position without engagement with said roller to control  
application of lacquer and water to the roller.

12. A printing unit [for use by a method according to claim 1] device in an offset machine comprising means for lacquer application and means for water application, the lacquer application means and the water application means are comprised of a unit comprising a doctor blade chamber device and at least a roller for transferring lacquer or water from the doctor blade chamber device to the plate cylinder of the printing unit.